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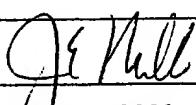
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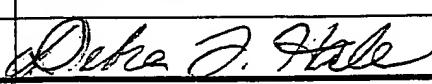
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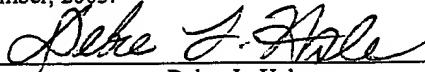
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**RENEWED PETITION UNDER C.F.R. §1.181 TO WITHDRAW**  
**ERRONEOUS HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT**

Dear Sir:

On or about June 2, 2003, Applicant submitted a petition to have the erroneous holding of abandonment in this case withdrawn on the basis that Applicant had, indeed, timely responded to the requirement to submit formal drawings.

In telephone conversations with Mr. Lamont Newsome of the USPTO's Publication Branch, Applicant has now learned that the requirement not responded to was set forth in an office action purportedly mailed by the office on March 11, 2003.

Upon checking, it has now been determined that this office action was never received in the offices of the undersigned's law firm. In this connection, attached is a copy of the firm's

docket sheet for April 10, 2004, the date on which a response to the office action of March 11, 2003, would have been due. In addition, the undersigned confirms that a review of the contents of the firm's file of this application also reveals that this office action was not received.

Since Applicant could not have responded to an office action never received, Applicant requests that the holding of abandonment be withdrawn, the office action of March 11, 2003, remailed, and the period for responding to the new office action restarted with its new mailing date. In addition, Applicant further requests that the petition fee included with the previously-filed petition to withdraw erroneous holding of abandonment be refunded to Applicant.

It is believed that no additional fees are due with this Petition. However, if any fees are due in this matter, please charge Deposit Account No. 03-0172.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: Sept 9, 02

  
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09-Apr-2003 Due Date	6 MO FFL/ELECT PUBLICATION	09-Oct-2002 Foreign Filing	1205204000 1205204003	C1 Speed Selector Corporation	US CBL JEL	JAB	60/417,322	09-Oct-2002	
	<b>Status:</b> Pending								
09-Apr-2003 Final	EXT HONG KONG	09-Oct-2002 EXT HONG KONG	1852504011 1852504040		EP Ohio State University	PAD KJF	00953823.2	03-Aug-2000	
	<b>Status:</b> Published								
09-Apr-2003 Due Date	6 MO FFL/ELECT PUBLICATION	09-Oct-2002 Foreign Filing	1852504046 1852504046		18525 Ohio State University	US JEL PAD DHD	10/267,845	09-Oct-2002	
	<b>Status:</b> Pending								
09-Apr-2003 Final	11TH MAIN FEE	09-Apr-1991 CANADIAN MF(3)	1942704067 1942704083		19427 Nottingham-Spirk Design Assoc	CA JEL DHD	007,618	04-Aug-1989	EMI
	<b>Status:</b> Granted								
09-Apr-2003 Due Date	RE: REC'T OF 1ST O.A.?	09-Oct-2001 EXT 1ST O.A. STAT CHECK	2122004025 2122004025		21220 B.F. Goodrich Aerospace	US WEZ	09/829,103	09-Apr-2001	AERO/SPAC
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09-Apr-2003 Due Date	RESP DEADLINE	09-Jan-2003 US PATENT O.A.	2218805715 2218805924	C1 Swagelok Company	US Swagelok Company	LLI Swagelok Company	09/544,020	06-Apr-2000 ED	
				Title: MODULAR SURFACE MOUNT MANIFOLD ASSEMBLIES					
09-Apr-2003 Due Date	1ST EXTENSION	09-Dec-2002 US FINAL O.A.	2596604008 2596604008	25966 Highland Group Corporation	US Highland Group Corporation	JEL Highland Group Corporation	09/637,284	11-Aug-2000 JAB	
				Title: MODULAR RAMP ASSEMBLY					
09-Apr-2003 Due Date	EXT IDS	09-Jan-2003 EXT IDS	2680904001 2647304226	P1 CCF Innovations	26473 CCF Innovations	JER CCF Innovations	10/257,294	09-Oct-2002 PAD	
				Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DISCOVERY, CLONING, AND EXPRESSION ANALYSIS OF FULL-LENGTH AND PARTIAL CODING REGIONS OF EARLY RESPONSE AND ARE-CONTAINING GENES					
09-Apr-2003 Final	CONVENTION/ELECT PUBLICATION	09-Apr-2002 Foreign Filing	2747504824	27475 Fortune Brands, Inc.	US Fortune Brands, Inc.	JEL Fortune Brands, Inc.	60/371,262	09-Apr-2002 MLC	
				Title: DISCRIMINATING MECHANISM FOR PIN TUMBLER/KEY COMBINATION					

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		Appl'n/Foreign Filing	2747504824	Fortune Brands, Inc.			MLC	
				Title: DISCRIMINATING MECHANISM FOR PIN TUMBLERS COMBINATION				
09-Apr-2003 Final	CONVERT APPLICATION	09-Apr-2002 File	2821704003	28217	US JEL	CJM	60/371,290	09-Apr-2002
		Appl'n/Foreign Filing	2821704003	iMedd, Inc.				
				Title: MICROFABRICATED NANOPORE DEVICE FOR SUSTAINED RELEASE OF THERAPEUTIC AGENT				
09-Apr-2003 Final	CONVENTION/ELECT PUBLICATION	09-Apr-2002 Foreign Filing	2821704003	28217	US JEL	CJM	60/371,290	09-Apr-2002
				iMedd, Inc.				
				Title: MICROFABRICATED NANOPORE DEVICE FOR SUSTAINED RELEASE OF THERAPEUTIC AGENT				
09-Apr-2003 Final	1ST MAIN FEE	09-Apr-2001 CANADIAN MF	2828004018	C2	28280	CA TEO RRL	2,378,055	09-Apr-2001
			2828004110			Computer Associates Int'l Inc.		
				Title: NETWORK MANAGEMENT SYSTEM USING VIRTUAL REALITY TECHNIQUES TO DISPLAY AND SELECT SITE NAVIGATION TO NETWORK COMPONENTS				
				Remarks: CPI				

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10-Apr-2003 Due Date	11 MO FFLLECT PUBLICATION	10-May-2002 Foreign Filing	1852504042 1852504042	US PAD Ohio State University	KJF	60/379,321	10-May-2002
	Status: Pending						
10-Apr-2003 Due Date	RECT OF RNWL CERT?	18-Jul-2001 Next Renewal	1889404633	HR	TAK	BDJ	DBM 30-Sep-1992
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	Remarks: INST TO ASSOC TO RNW 8/16/02; RNWL FILED PER CONF FROM ASSOC RECD 9/4/02						
10-Apr-2003 Due Date	FILE RCE?	14-Jan-2003 US ISSUE FEE	1942704004 1942704004	US JEL	DHD (JAB)	10/000,046	18-Oct-2001 EMI
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	Status: Published							
10-Apr-2003 Due Date	EXT RESPONSE	22-Oct-2002 RESP EXAM	2218805715 2218806238	22188 Swagelok Company	EP	LLL	JER DBM 99923201.0	18-May-1999
10-Apr-2003 Due Date	1ST EXTENSION	10-Dec-2002 US PATENT O.A.	2245904235 2245904514	P2 Chart Industries, Inc.	US	JEL	JAB DBM 10/041,199	08-Jan-2002
10-Apr-2003 Final	CONVENTION/EFFECT PUB	10-Apr-2002 Foreign Filing	2272704047 2272704117	C1	22727	US PAD KJF,	10/119,637	10-Apr-2002
10-Apr-2003 Due Date	RE: RECT OF 1ST O.A.?	10-Oct-2002 STATUS CHECK	2272704047 2272704117	C1	22727	US PAD KJF	10/119,637	10-Apr-2002

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10-Apr-2003 Due Date	RE: RECT OF CERT OF CORR?	10-Feb-2003 STATUS CHECK	2272704054 2272704054	22727 US	PAD Ohio State Research Foundation	KJF	09/765,099	17-Jan-2001	ACTD Title: SYNTHESIS OF VISIBLE LIGHT CURABLE (VLC) POLYMERS CONTAINING POLYMERS

Status: Published		Title: COLORIMETER			
10-Apr-2003	1ST EXTENSION Due Date	10-Dec-2002 US PATENT O.A.	2516900101 2516904003	P1 Emerging Technology Systems	US JEL DBM MEG 09/367,425 12-Aug-1999
		Title: NON-INVASIVE GLUCOSE MEASURING DEVICE AND METHOD FOR MEASURING BLOOD GLUCOSE			
Status: Pending					

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				Status: Pending  Title: TIRE STATUS DETECTION SYSTEM AND METHOD					
11-Apr-2003 Final	CONVERT APPLICATION	11-Apr-2002 File	1889404570 1889404570	18894 Continental Tire North America	US	TAK	STM	60/371,884 11-Apr-2002	
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11-Apr-2003 Final	CONVERT APPLICATION	11-Apr-2002 File	1932504060 1932504060	19325 Actron Manufacturing Company	US	CBL	STM	60/371,786 11-Apr-2002	
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11-Apr-2003 Final	CONVENTION/ELECT PUBLICATION	11-Apr-2002 Foreign Filing	1932504060 1932504060	19325 Actron Manufacturing Company	US	CBL	STM	60/371,786 11-Apr-2002	
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11-Apr-2003 Due Date	RESPONSE DUE	28-Jan-2003 FOREIGN O.A.	2218805624 2218806410	22188 Swagelok Company	EP	LLL	JER	DBM 99954835.7 13-Oct-1999 NUP	
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11-Apr-2003 Due Date	9 MO FFL/ELECT PUBLICATION	11-Jul-2002 Foreign Filing	2272704130 2272704130	22727 Ohio State Research Foundation	US PAD	KJF	60/395,081	11-Jul-2002
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11-Apr-2003 Due Date	RE: REC'D OF 1ST O.A.?	11-Jan-2002 STAT CHECK	2379704006 2379704006	23797 Fairway Properties	US CBL	JAB	09/903,455	11-Jul-2001
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11-Apr-2003 Ren/Due	Next Renewal	11-Apr-1988 Renewal	2641604819	26416 J.M. Smucker Company	CA JEL	KJF	242,068	20-Aug-1957
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	Status: Granted							
	Remarks: Postcard receipt for request for cert. Of corr. Received on 7/2/2002							
11-Apr-2003 Due Date	END COOLING OFF PERIOD	18-Feb-2003 OPPO DATES	2747504983	27475 Fortune Brands, Inc.	EU	JEL Title: METHOD OF WARRANTY AND PRODUCT REPAIR <i>SL</i>	2,567,394 <i>SL</i>	07-Feb-2002 MLC <i>SL</i>
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11-Apr-2003 Due Date	RE: REC'T OF 1ST O.A.?	12-Dec-2001 STAT CHECK	2747804000 2747804000	27478 HERE2FIX.COM	US	JEL Title: LEG SLING <i>SL</i>	09/879,767 LS Products, Inc.	12-Jun-2001
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